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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO  
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Large Entity)**

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Docket No. *17714*  
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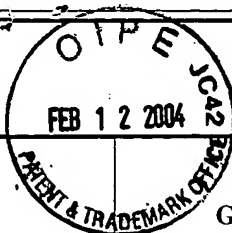
In Re Application Of: G. Chou

Serial No.  
10/073,488

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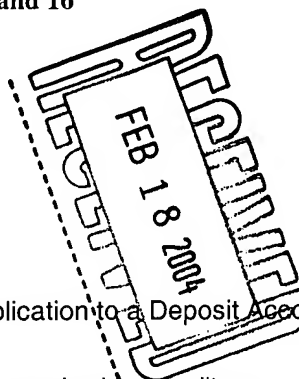
Invention: Method and Apparatus for Induction Heat Treating Electrical Contacts

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated 10/10/03 finally rejecting Claim(s) 1-3, 13 and 16

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is: \$330.00

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1950



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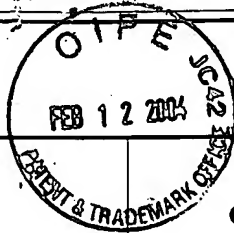
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

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Invention: **Method and Apparatus for Induction Heat Treating Electrical Contacts**

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **10/10/03** above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: **1/10/04**    until: **2/10/04**  
*Date*    *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$110** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **23-1950**
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **23-1950**

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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b>				Docket No. <b>17714</b>	
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Invention: <b>Method and Apparatus for Induction Heat Treating Electrical Contacts</b>					
 <b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	15 -	20 =	0 x	\$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	2 -	3 =	0 x	\$86.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					<b>\$0.00</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of _____ <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. <input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <input type="checkbox"/> Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. <input type="checkbox"/> Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.					
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<b>Michael Aronoff</b> <b>Registration No.: 37,770</b> <b>The Whitaker Corporation</b> <b>4550 New Linden Hill Road</b> <b>Suite 140</b> <b>Wilmington, DE 19808</b> <b>Telephone No.: (302) 633-2770</b>			<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">         I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on  <b>February 10, 2004</b> with the U.S. Postal Service as first          class mail under 37C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the          for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.       </div> <div style="text-align: center;">           _____          Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence       </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <b>Paula M. Capriglione</b>          _____          Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence       </div>		
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